

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Service – Agricultural Marketing Department – Departmental Proceeding against Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.) - Under Rule 172 of A.P. (AP&LS) Market Rules, 1969 – Articles of Charges – Issued.

AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (VIG-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No: 186

Dated: 03-03-2014

Read:

G.O.Ms.No.12,Agri.&Coop(Vig.II)Department, Dated 03-03-2014

ORDER:-

1. It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), Agricultural Market Committee, Anaparthi (Retd.) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 172 of Andhra Pradesh (AP&LS) Market Rules, 1969.
2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Article of Charge (Annexure – I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom the article of charge is proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure –II & III).
3. Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), Agricultural Market Committee, Anaparthi (Retd.) is directed to submit within 15 days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.
4. Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), Agricultural Market Committee , Anaparthi (Retd.) is further informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny the article of charge.
5. Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.) is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in Para 3 above, or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of rule 20 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 or the orders/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the Inquiry against him exparte.
6. The attention of Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.) is invited to Rule 24 of the A.P.C.S (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or out side influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.) is aware of such representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the A.P.C.S Conduct) Rules, 1964.
7. The receipt of the G.O may be acknowledged.

DR D.SREENIVASULU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(AM&C)

To

Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), Agricultural Market Committee , Anaparthi, (Retd) through the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner and Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P. Hyderabad.

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Contd. Annexures I,II, III

ANNEXURE. I

Statement of Article of Charges framed against Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.)

Article of Charge:

“That Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.) while working at Agricultural Market Committee, Anaparthi purchased medicines from medical agencies and paid amount in the form of cash which is in violation of Government norms and misappropriated Government funds to an amount of Rs. 1,31,482/- in conduct of veterinary and Human Health camps by submitting the fake and excess bills and also claimed an amount for shamiana. Thus, it shows his gross negligence towards his duties and misappropriated the Government funds. Thus he violated Conduct Rules”.

Basis:

“In the report received from Vigilance & Enforcement Department vide Vigilance Report No. 84 (C.No.815/4239/ V&E /D3/2012), Dt: 26-07-2013, they have noticed irregularities that he purchased medicines from medical agencies and paid amount in the form of cash which is in violation of Government norms and misappropriated Government funds to an amount of Rs. 1,31,482/- in conduct of veterinary and Human Health camps by submitting the fake and excess bills and also claimed amount for shamiana.

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ANNEXURE.II

**List of documents on the basis of which the Article of charges framed
against
Sri P.Gopalarao, the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.)**

Vigilance Report No. 84 (C.No.815/4239/ V&E /D3/2012), Dt: 26-07-2013 of Vigilance & Enforcement Department.

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ANNEXURE.III

**List of witnesses by whom the Article of Charges framed against Sri P.Gopalarao,
the then Secretary (FAC), AMC, Anaparthi (Retd.)**

-Nil -

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